

RESOLUTION No. 154-2007

**RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF THE
FFY2008 (34TH CD YEAR JANUARY 1, 2008 TO DECEMBER 31, 2008) ACTION PLAN
TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

WHEREAS, under 24 CFR Part 91, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) outlines the consolidated submissions for community planning and development programs which will serve as: (1) a planning document for the City that builds on a participatory process at the grass roots level, (2) an application for federal funds under HUD's formula grant program, (3) a strategy to be followed in carrying out HUD programs, and (4) an Action Plan that provides a basis for assessing performance;

WHEREAS, the FFY2004 to FFY2008 five year Consolidated Plan (30th to 34th CD years January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2008) that addresses the housing and community development needs of the City has been previously approved by City Council;

WHEREAS, the FFY2008 (34th CD year January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008) Action Plan specifies activities the City will undertake to address priority needs and local objectives using formula grant funds and program income the City expects to receive during the program year;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING THAT:

The FFY2008 (34th CD year January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008) Action Plan is hereby approved.

The Mayor, on behalf of the City of Reading, is authorized and directed to file the application for financial assistance to carry out the housing and community development activities outlined in the plan; and to execute the necessary certifications in connection with the plan and provide such additional information as may be required.

PASSED COUNCIL

2007

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

H:\CDPlan\COMMDEV\PROGRAM YEAR 34 (2008)\Council Agenda Memo and Resolution

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution passed by the Council of the City of Reading, on the 13th day of Nov A. D. 20 07. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this 14th day of Nov A. D. 20 07.

CITY CLERK

PROPOSED 2008 ACTION PLAN

FFY2008 CDBG est.\$3,000,000

Public Services

Community Policing	\$329,000
Millmont RAFT	\$15,000
Olivet's southeast	\$35,000
OND/RBI Organizers	\$30,000
Recreation NEAR	\$35,000
PS activity delivery	\$6,000
CDBG PS total \$450,000 cap	\$450,000

CDBG Other

Abe Lincoln Hotel 108 payment	\$216,000
Adopt-A-Tree	\$20,000
CDBG Program Admin. (20% cap)	\$600,000
Code Enforcement	\$350,000
Commercial Façade (slum blight)	\$100,000
Emergency Demo	\$500,000
Fire Ladder 3	\$144,000
Habitat land acquisition	\$50,000
Hamden Park	\$165,000
Hillside Playground	\$115,000
Major System Rehab - NHS	\$150,000
NHS HOP	\$100,000
Residential Façade (slum blight)	\$40,000

CDBG total \$2,550,000

PROPOSED 2008 ACTION PLAN

FFY 2008 HOME est. \$950,000

HOME Admin. (10% cap)	\$95,000
NHS CHDO Set Aside	\$150,000
OCR	\$580,000
Activity delivery - Rehab Spec	\$125,000
HOME total	\$950,000

FFY2008 ESG est. \$135,000

ESG Admin. (5% cap)	\$6,750
OH	\$128,250
ESG total	\$135,000

Sect 108 loan pay. (exc. Lincoln)

Buttonwood Gateway	\$169,157
KVP	\$150,928
Goggle Works	\$241,326
Readings Future	\$163,368
Section 108 total	\$724,779